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December 31, 2003

Attn: Mail Stop Patent Application Commissioner for Patents

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Attorney Docket No. OKI 302 C1

Re: Continuing Application Under 37 CFR 1.53(b) of Non-Provisional Parent

Application No. 10/207,388, Filed July 30, 2002

Inventor(s): Yasutaka TAKABAYASHI

Title: VOLTAGE REGULATOR WITH A CONSTANT CURRENT CIRCUIT

AND ADDITIONAL CURRENT SOURCING/SINKING

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- 1. For purposes of filing a Continuing Application under 37 CFR 1.53(b) of the above-identified parent application, please find attached hereto:
 - (a) Copies of the specification, claims, and abstract as originally filed in the parent application (27 pages);
 - (b) Copies of the drawings as originally filed in the parent application (5 sheets; Figures 1-9); and
 - (c) A copy of the inventor's Declaration and Power of Attorney as originally filed in the parent application (3 pages).
 - 2. Also attached is a Preliminary Amendment.
- 3. The filing fee is calculated below, based on the claims of the parent application (section 1 above), as modified by the Preliminary Amendments (section 2 above).

Basic Filing Fee \$385/\$770	\$	770.00
Total number of claims in excess of 20: 0 x \$18	\$	0.00
Number of independent claims in excess of 3: 0 x \$86	\$	0.00
Multiple Dependent Claims: - 0 - x \$140/\$280	<u>\$-</u>	0
TOTAL	\$	770.00

The filing fee, as calculated above, is attached. Should this remittance be insufficient or missing, however, please charge it (or credit any overpayment) to our Deposit Account number 18-0002.

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- 4. Also attached is an Information Disclosure Statement with a copy of Form PTO-892.
- 5. The application is assigned to Oki Electric Industry Co., Ltd., having a mailing address at 7-12, Toranomon 1-chome, Minato-ku, Tokyo, Japan, by an Assignment recorded on November 5, 2002, beginning at Reel 013465, Frame 0499.
- 6. The benefit of priority of Japanese Application Number 2001-229374, filed on July 30, 2001, is claimed under 35 USC 119. A certified copy of this priority application was filed in the above-identified patent application on October 28, 2002.
 - 7. Please send all correspondence to:

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Respectfully Submitted,

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